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RESPONSE

Dear Sir:

[XXX] NO FEES ARE PAYABLE WITH RESPECT TO THIS RESPONSE.

In response to the official action mailed December 20, 2006, please enter the following before reconsideration of this application.

In the Drawings:

Please replace Fig. 1 of the drawings presently on file with the new Replacement Sheet of the drawing accompanying the attached Submission. The entered amendments to the drawing are described in detail in the Remarks Section of this Response.

In the Specification:

Please amend paragraphs [004] [015] and [016] of the specification as presented in the Preliminary Amendment filed June 16, 2005, a copy of which is attached. Please enter the relevant replacement specification paragraphs in that previously submitted Preliminary Amendment into the record of this case.

In the Claims:

Please cancel claims 8-14 in favor of new claims 15-28 as follows. Please enter the amended claims into the record of this case.